

NEGRO MURDERER IS KILLED BY MOB

Revenge Is Wreaked for Recent Killing of Officer S. W. Everson.

FURTHER TROUBLE FEARED

Prisoners Attacked as They Are Being Taken to Jail After Trial.

Nashville, Tenn., February 19.—Armed with clubs and revolvers, a mob of eighteen or twenty men shot and killed Dave Neal, dangerously wounded Dave Neal and badly beat up Green Bonar at Shelbyville, Tenn., today. The victims are the negroes charged with the murder of S. W. Everson, special officer of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, which occurred near Belt Buckle Saturday, February 16.

The wounded negroes now are in jail at Shelbyville, and it is reported that the mob will endeavor to get possession of them and complete its work to-night.

None of the members of the mob wore masks. The negroes were attacked by the mob as they were being taken to jail after the trial, as the result of which they had been bound over to the court. Neal was shot in the stomach and killed. Neal and Bonar were beaten up, the former being seriously injured. Sheriff Williams and six deputies in charge of the prisoners rushed them to the sheriff's office, the door of which was locked, and the sheriff stationed himself on guard at the entrance. About 4:15 o'clock the mob returned and captured the sheriff and removed him from the building.

A member of the mob then broke into the office and fired once at each of the negroes. Neal was shot in the abdomen and seriously hurt. The mob looting in a glove in his pocket. Subsequently the wounded negroes were taken from the sheriff's office to the jail, but it is expected that the mob will endeavor to lynch them to-night.

Marion Anderson, alleged assassin of Police Officer Purdy and Henry, of Shelbyville, who was confined in the same jail with the negroes, was brought here yesterday for safekeeping.

As soon as news of the attack on the negroes by the mob at Shelbyville reached Nashville, Governor Hooper got into communication with Sheriff Williams, who asked that State troops be sent. The Governor ordered a local company of militia to the scene, but countermanded the order on receiving a message from Sheriff Williams that the mob had dispersed and quiet had been restored. The Governor immediately offered a reward of \$500 each for the mob leaders, the total reward not to exceed \$3,000.

JEFFERSON AND WOODBERRY PLAY BASKETBALL TO TIE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., February 19.—A hotly contested game of basketball here this afternoon, the Jefferson and Woodberry teams played to a 17 to 17 tie. Through the misconduct of the referee the game was announced as a 16 to 16 win for Woodberry, but a recount showed a tie, which was agreed upon after the teams left the floor. It is believed that the teams will play again to a decision.

Jefferson already had won at Woodberry Forest in a former game. For Woodberry, Spon and Ryan played best; for Jefferson, Sinclair and Wadell excelled.

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LONG DEBATE ON LIMESTONE BILL

Favorable Report With Minor Amendments Expected From Committee To-Day.

After being favorably reported by two House committees and one committee in the Senate, the lime grinding bill gathered its last onslaught before the Senate committee on Finance last night, and was, at the end of four hours of argument, turned over to a subcommittee, which will return a final report on it this morning at 10 o'clock. The special committee entrusted with the task of clearing up a few minor points in the bill consists of Senators Mason, Rinehart and Garrett. The impression immediately after adjournment at midnight was that the bill will be reported favorably this morning with minor amendments.

The case for the enactment of the measure into law was opened by Editor J. F. Jackson, of the Southern Planter. He reiterated his argument before the three other committees, giving it as his opinion that Virginia will not attain her maximum prosperity until ground limestone is available at a price cheap enough to place it within the reach of every farmer.

Invading Private Rights. That the territory contemplated by the State was an invasion of the rights of the individual and an unwarranted confiscation of private property was the contention of W. E. Carson, of Riverston, a manufacturer of lime and ground limestone. The State, he thought, was about to take a step in the dark, being egged on by an irresponsible crowd of theorists. The contended superiority of ground limestone over burnt lime, he said, had never been satisfactorily established, and the State would be therefore lending itself to a gamble with public funds. He ridiculed the idea that anything less than \$50,000 would be enough to put into operation a successful plant.

He told of the \$300,000 invested in the industry and the 12,000 people dependent upon it for their daily bread. With the entrance of the State into the field, he said, this wealth would be destroyed and the people left destitute. The proposed law, he contended, was highly scientific in its nature and was a step in the direction of the destruction of all private initiative.

Sixty-Cent Limestone Impossible. Ground limestone at 60 cents a ton, said Warner Moore, another manufacturer, was a physical impossibility. It cost more than that to mine the rock. He quoted from the 1910 report of Governor Deneen, of Illinois, to show that the total consumption of ground limestone by the farmers of Illinois during that year amounted to 13,000 tons. To the claim that the Virginia plants were insufficient to supply the demand, he answered that the single plant which he represented was prepared to furnish 40,000 tons annually.

Senator Tavenner produced a petition from farmers in Shenandoah county protesting against the enactment of the law. He spoke vigorously against the bill. Admitting that each of the two proposed lime grinding plants would be employed by fifteen convicts, he denounced the economic folly of appropriating \$30,000 to give employment to thirty men. Rather than put them to work in this manner, he said, he would prefer for them to remain in the penitentiary making shoes. It was an insult to the old and established industry to threaten its destruction with the employment of thirty convicts, and a degradation to the 3,000 free workmen now employed in it. He called attention to the fact that there are fifty-one lime manufacturers in the State, each one of whom was prepared to enter into a contract to furnish his product at an advance of 10 per cent. over cost.

Class Legislation Charged. Attorney M. J. Fulton, of Richmond, quoted from the Bill of Rights and the Constitution to show that the whole enterprise was antagonistic to American and English principles of government. It was nothing more, he said, than an attempt to tax the public for the benefit of a special class—the farmers. Although couched in general terms which permitted the State-ground limestone to be purchased by any citizen of the State, it was as purely a farmers' measure, he said, as if it contained an express provision that only farmers are entitled to its benefits. He doubted if there was a law

which could compel any person to pay taxes for this purpose. The advocates of the bill closed the argument and presented as their first witness Mr. Zimmermann, manager of a famous estate on the Rappahannock. He confirmed his remarks to the high value of ground limestone as an agent for removing the acidity of the soil and of the difficulty of obtaining it. Much the same line of testimony was offered by T. O. Sandy, of the United Agricultural Board. Westmoreland Davis, president of the State Farmers' Institute, contended that the two small plants proposed by the private manufacturers with whom ground limestone was largely a by-product. The peculiar relation of the lands of a State to the general prosperity justified legislation in the aid of its development, he argued, and rejected it from the charge of class legislation.

Here and There in the Legislature

Consideration of the general appropriation bill has not yet been completed by the joint subcommittee, which is still hard at work. It is now hoped that the first draft will be finished to-night.

State Highway Commissioner P. St. Julien Wilson appeared yesterday morning before the House Committee on Roads and Internal Improvements to advocate a bill to obviate an appeal from the location of boards of supervisors in the matter of location of roads. It is possible, he said, for one man, who is dissatisfied with a survey, to appeal to the Circuit Court and then to the Supreme Court, and in the manner of decisions it had not been found that the Supreme Court had ever considered anything save the amount of the location of the road. Wilson said that the proposed road, Captain Wilson said that the proposed road, matter had not been in his office until after the bill was proposed. But the committee looked with disfavor upon prevention of an appeal, and passed the bill by indefinitely.

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Some of them may come South, for the country below the Mason and Dixon line is well known as a feeding ground for those who have lost their hopes in other fields. For that reason "dead" lines are on the quiet vivified by the prospect that Richmond may be visited by some of the New York Apaches. Members of the detective department are now on the lookout for all suspicious characters, and visitors who cannot give a good account of themselves and tell why they came to Richmond and what they expect to do will be given short notice. They will be treated as guests for indeterminate periods.

In Richmond there is no imaginary "dead" line. All crooks, thieves, burglars and freebooters are treated alike by the police. They are arrested as soon as caught. They are not told that they may go so far and no farther. All lines beyond the pale of the law are "dead" lines, and short shrift will be given to those who attempt anything fancy in the hold-up way in Richmond.

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News of South Richmond

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Commonwealth's Attorney Haskins Hobson, of Chesterfield county, will go to Chesterfield this morning and request Judge Smith to have a special grand jury impaneled to return indictments, charging murder in the first degree, against William Price and John Furly, the negro jailbirds, who in escaping from the Chesterfield road force several weeks ago beat Guard Thomas Belcher insensible, and inflicted wounds which caused his death on Saturday.

Robert Reynolds, of Savannah, Ga., is visiting his brother, W. E. Reynolds, of 321 Melbourn Street. 322 Perry Street, by a serious illness. County Officer A. T. Traynor, who has been very ill at his home on Boston Avenue, Oak Grove, is now able to be out. Linwood Turner, who has been ill at the Virginia Hospital, is improving.

William Carroll, of the U. S. Solace, is visiting his parents in South Richmond.

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Franklin Storage, Drayage, Auction and Carpet Cleaning Company (Inc.), Rosslyn, Va. C. Myers, president; W. C. Taylor, secretary; P. G. Garber, general manager—all of Washington, D. C. Capital: Maximum, \$100,000; minimum, \$1,000. Object: Storage business.

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